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Commissioner For Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Re: Applicant(s): Vargas, Jaime; et. al.
Assignee: Cardica, Inc.
Title: Incision Tensioning System and Method for Using the Same
Serial No.: 09/764,218
Examiner: Victor X. Nguyen
Docket No.: 032405-042
Filed: January 16, 2001
Group Art Unit: 3731

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents in the above-identified application:

- (1) This Transmittal Letter;
- (2) Response to Office Action; and
- (3) Return postcard.

- ☒ No additional fee is required.
☐ The fee has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims Remaining <u>After Amendment</u>		Highest No. Previously <u>Paid For</u>		Present <u>Extra</u>		<u>Rate</u>		Additional <u>Fee</u>
Total Claims	9	Minus	53	=	0	x	\$9	\$	0.00
Independent Claims	1	Minus	4	=	0	x	\$42	\$	0.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Fee of _____ for the first filing of one or more multiple dependent claims per application							\$	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Fee for Request for Extension of Time							\$	
<u>Total additional fee for this Amendment:</u>								\$	<u>0.00</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Conditional Petition for Extension of Time: If an extension of time is required for timely filing of the enclosed document(s) after all papers filed with this transmittal have been considered, an extension of time is hereby requested.								
<input type="checkbox"/>	Please charge our Deposit Account No. 502108 in the amount of							\$	<u>0.00</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Please charge any additional fees required and credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 502108.								
Total:								\$	<u>0.00</u>

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Respectfully submitted,

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